

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE PCT NATIONAL STAGE APPLICATION OF
MICHAEL ROTH ET AL
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. **PCT/EP 03/03726**
FILED: **APRIL 10, 2003**

Group Art Unit:

Examiner:

FOR: FLAME RETARDANT POLYMER
COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING
HYDROXYLAMINE ESTERS

U.S. APPLICATION NO: not yet assigned

35 USC 371 DATE:

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants respectfully submit the present Preliminary Amendment to place the instant claims in better condition for examination on their merits